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This replies to the Notice of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notice of Missing Requirements") mailed October 24, 2006. Enclosed is the Transmittal Form and a copy of an original Declaration and Power of Attorney for this application. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice of Missing Requirements. No fee is believed to be due. However, if any fee is due associated with submission of the Declaration, please charge Deposit Account 10-0637 (Walker & Jocke).

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 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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